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All District of Columbia volunteers of 1861 are invited to attend an open meeting of the Survivors' Association, D. C. Volunteers of 1861, at their heidquarters, St. Joseph's Hall, cor. 5th and H sts. n.w., on MONDAY EVENING, Nov. 11, at 7:30

The object of the meeting will be to make arrangements to present an application to Congress for a bounty. By order J. T. FORD, Attest: W. M. LA PORTE, Rec. Secy.

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stock of said association.

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> The second progressive euchre party in the tournament to aid the Columbia Polytechnic Institute for the Blind, to pay for the building, at 1808 H street northwest, purchased for the use of the institution, was held Saturday evening, under the patronage of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Galloway. Besides being very enjoyable the party was most successful in point of attendance. Through the liberality of the managers of the theaters the committee is able to offer each week as prizes two tickets each to the four persons gaining the highest scores. Crimson and blue have been selected as the colors for the tournament, at the end of which grand prizes will be awarded to the best players in a final contest, to be given in one of the large halls of the city.
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> The successful players in the first games were: Mrs. Hyler, who won seven games out of a possible ten, and Mrs. M. K. Jones, Mrs. J. C. Noris and Eva J. Lawban, each securing six out of ten games. The winners of the prizes Saturday evening last were: M. T. O'Leary, eight out of a possible ten; Mrs. Mayer, P. F. Hauvan and Miss McDevitt, each seven games. As the record now stands the blues lead the crimsons by forty-three points.
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> The Columbia Polytechnic Institute, under the management of the progressive and experienced blind, is endeavoring to provide employment for all able-bodied adult blind

persons in the District who are willing to

A number of buildings were damaged by an earthquake ath Brescia, Italy. No fa-

Clergyman's Children. COFFEE BEING REPLACED BY POSTUM FOOD

"I am the wife of a minister. About three years ago a warm friend, an exemplary mother and the conscientious wife of a minister, asked me if I had ever tried giving up coffee and using the Postum Food Coffee. I had been telling her of my ex-cessive nervousness and ill health. She said: 'We drink nothing else for breakfast but Postum Food Coffee, and it is a delight and a comfort to have something that we do not have to refuse the chil-

dren when they ask for it.' "I was surprised that she would permit the childeen to drink any kind of coffee, but she explained that it was a most healthful beverage and that the children thrived on it. A very little thought convinced me that for brain work, one should not rely apon a stimulant such as coffee is, but should have

food, and the very best of food. "My first trial of Postum was a failure. The maid of all work brought it to the table, lukewarm, we k, and altogether lacking in character. We were in despair, but decided on one more trial. At the second trial we faithfully followed the directions, used four teaspoonfuls to the pint of water, let it boil full fitteen minutes after the real boiling began, and served it with rich cream. It was delicious and we were all won. was delicious and we were all won.

"I have since sung the praises of Postum Food Coffee on many, many occasions and have induced numbers of friends to abandon coffee and use Postum, with remarkable results. The wife of a

college professor said to me a short time ago that nothing had ever produced so marked a change in her husband's health as the leaving off of coffee and the use of Postum Food Coffee." Edith Smith Davis, Appleton, Wis.



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THE COURTS.

Equity Court No. 1-Justice Hagner. Talbert agt. Talbert; rule on complainant returnable November 18 granted. Quinn agt. Regan; commission ordered to issue and Secretary of Treasury requested to furnish certain records. Christiani agt. furnish certain records. Christiani agt. Christiani; testimony before T. H. Fitman, examiner, ordered taken. Evans agt. Bailey; reference to auditor and payment into registry ordered.

Equity Court No. 2-Justice Bradley. Talty agt. Price; ratification of trustees' sale nisi. Coltrane agt. Baltimore Building and Loan Association; confirmation of sale by receivers. Murphy agt. Murphy; divorce granted. Coyle agt. Pike; demurrer sus-tained, with leave to amend bill. Schwartz agt. Key et al.; rule against defendants re-turnable November 14. In re lunacy of Catherine E. Babcock; committee appointed. Fiske agt. Washington National Building and Loan Association; reference to auditor to state account. Marceron agt. Davidson; title vested in complaint by aderence to auditor to state account. Schwartz agt. Key et al.; pro confesso against certain defendant. Williams agt. Williams; proof ordered taken before H. Prescott Gatley, examiner.

Circuit Court No. 1—Chief Justice Bingham. Loughran agt. Early et al.; on trial. Circuit Court No. 2-Justice Clabaugh. Walters agt. Metropolitan Railroad Company; Sutton agt. same; Harleston agt. same; on trial.

Criminal Court No. 2-Justice Barnard. Duvall agt. Beall; on trial.

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Estate of Sarah J. Morrison; petition for probate of will filed. Estate of Adolphus department on papers now be department on papers now Mary H. Forrest; statement for account filed. Estate of Hannah E. Howard; do. Estate of Aquilla Hall; do. Estate of Geo. W. Shoemaker; do. Estate of Evelyn Stevens; do. Estate of Michael O'Brien; do Estate of Geo. Brown; will partly proved. In re Louise W. Williams; petition for appointment of guardian filed. Estate of Alexander M. Kenaday; mandate of Court of Appeals filed. Estate of Elizabeth Washington; statement for account filed. Estate of Christopher Dwyer; inventory filed. Estate of Park Morrill; letter of adminis-Estate of Park Morrili; letter of adminis-trator disputing claim of Lansburgh Fur-niture and Carpet Co. filed. Estate of Fredericka W. Stolpp; final notice issued. Estate of John M. Smith; affidavit in lieu of account filed. Estate of Geo. W. Coch-ran; statement for account and proof of publication filed. In re Florence C. Chapman; petition of guardian to incumbe wards' real estate filed.

Estate of Sarah J. Morrison; petition for

Real Estate Transfers.

Eighth street southeast between A and B streets-Chas. H. Gladden to Mary H. Fregina, lot 38, square 899; \$10. Eckington-Jno. R. Taylor et ux. Harry J. Mattern, lot 23, block 22; \$10. Mintwood-Margaret L. Sands et vir Lawrence to Wm. A. Hill, part of lot 13;

Lanier Heights-Stephen B. Priest to Frank Faust, lots 188, 189, 190; \$7,250. Four-and-a-Half street northwest be-tween C and D streets—J. Holdsworth Gordon, surviving trustee, to Robert H. and Lillian H. Hartshorn, part of original lot 12. square 533; \$5.

North Brightwood-Chas. C. Lancaster et ux. to Wm. R. Mackrille, lots 5, 6, 7, block 3; \$100.

East Market space—Joseph H. Bradley et al., trustees, to Patrick T. Moran, part of lot 43, square 1200; \$115.

No. 2111 Chester court northwest—May K. Broome to Christian J. Gockeler, lot 58, square 235; \$10.

Friendship—Laura E. Baker to Thos L.

Friendship-Laura E. Baker to Thos. J. Giles, part; \$10. Deaths in Forty-Eight Hours. The following deaths were reported to the health office during the forty-eight hours

ended at noon today: Jane Johnson, 89 years; Richard Hill, 78 years; Louise Griffin Du Bois, 77 years; Mary Johnson, 70 years; Jane Haskins, 70 years; Cornelius A. Offutt, 69 years; Bettle Robinson, 63 years; Laura Cridor, 62 years; Isalah Walters Ridgely, 62 years; Ernest H. Le Mour, 50 years; Mary Etta Van Reuth, Le Mour, 50 years; Mary Etta Van Reuth, 52 years; James E. Nervis, 51 years; Allace Dodson, 43 years; Esral H. Ammons, 40 years; Sarah Ellen Dawkins, 35 years; James D. Nolan, 32 years; Emma Monroe, 28 years; William Morris Hannan, 25 years; William Williams, 22 years; Mrs. Marie Smith, 22 years; Dora Hawkins, 11 years; Emil G. Laner, 6 years; Lillie M. Splers, 5 years; Alfonzo Thomas, 4 years; Agnes M. McCarty, 3 years; Lillie M. Dobbins, 2 years; John H. Beckwith, 2 years; Afbert Conway, 1 year; Jesse Fox, 1 year; infant of Abby S. Baker, 1 day; infant of Maggie Patterson, 1 day. Maggie Patterson, 1 day.

The scarcity of money at Baku, Russian Transcaucasit, is so serious that most of the naphtha firms have been obliged to curtail operations.

PLAN APPROVED.

Resurvey of Barry Farm Subdivision of Anacostia.

The District Commissioners have approved the submitted plan of Henry B. Looker, the surveyor of the District, for the resurvey of the subdivision in Anacostia known as the Barry Farm. An appropriation of \$2,000 for the work was made by the last Congress and Mr. Looker is of the opinion that the total cost of the field and office labor will be about \$1,932, which would leave \$68 out of the appropriation for the purchase of stone monuments to mark lines and the seting of the same.

It has been decided to employ Mr. W. J. Latimer of Anacostia, a surveyor of long experience and intimate knowledge of points and lines in the Anacostia district, as consulting surveyor at a compensation of \$500 in connection with the resurvey. Mr. Latimer has all the data of any consequence as to monuments established by survey in Barry Farm, and Surveyor Looker thinks that his employment will subserve the best interests of the District and the owners involved. Mr. Looker says he finds some difficulty in blocking out the matter for the reason that his office is so completely lacking in knowledge of the system which has been pursued by those making surveys of individual lots and the character of the map data bearing on the subject, other than the mere record plat. Mr. Latimer, it is believed, can furnish all of this information.

Surveyor Looker also recommends that either Mr. D. J. Howell or Mr. Taylor of the firm of Howell & Taylor be employed as In months, the two overlapping considerably ing so as to make the whole work consume about three months. He says further that permanent monuments should be planted so as to control every angle of every road and

"Mr. Howell," continues the surveyor in the statement of his plan, "should do all the computing work himself, as well as make the final working map of results, ready for action by the Commissioners. He should be required to give a bond for \$5,000 for the accuracy of all measurements of lines and angles, said bond being to the District of Columbia. The work should be done under the personal supervision of the surveyor as far as possible, so as to enable him to know the reasons affecting each case of contested

POLICE MAKE REPORT.

Investigation of Complaint Filed Against Merchants on D Street. Judging from the reports of the police department on papers now before the District Commissioners, certain of the members of the second-handing clothing colony on the north side of D street between 6th and 7th streets, are decidedly on the outs. J. T. Justh of 619 D street has written to

"Necessity compels me, in conjunction with other merchants, to protest against the manner in which citizens are annoyed by certain merchants on the north side of D street between 6th and 7th streets northwest. It is absolutely impossible for any person to pass on that side of the street without being almost hauled into the stores and compelled to purchase against their will. This practice has developed to such an extent that persons having business on that street avoid the north side."

Major Sylvester referred the matter to

Lieut. Moore, commanding the sixth pre-cinct police district, with the statement that Judge Kimball had informed him that anything which was out of order was dis-order, and he thought it would be well to apply under that ruling for warrants for these people for disorderly conduct. Lieut. Moore returned the papers, stating that about a year ago Mr. Justh complained of the conduct of the storekeepers in his vicinity in this, that they stood in front of their places of business, took hold of per-

sons passing by and importuned them to come in and purchase their wares. "At that time," continued the lieutenant, "I caused one or two arrests to be made, charging the defendants with unlawful assembly, and Judge Scott, before whom the cases were tried and dismissed, stated that persons so stopped should make a charge against these people for an assault. In reference to this complaint, I detailed Private H. E. Gilpin to watch these merchants, with the result that he saw Samuel Hyatt, 621 D street, and Isaac Bernstein, 600 D street northwest, standing in front of their stores, taking ladds of and inviting persons into their places of business. The officer applied to Mri. Pugh, the assistant attorney for the District of Columbia, for warrants and was refused the same, Mr. Pugh stating that the persons taken hold of or stopped should apply for warrants for an assault if they felt aggrieved. While this complaint is somewhat true, yet the practice of these people is not carried to the practice of these people is not carried to the extnet of annoying the public, and I think there is some business jealousy existing in this neighborhood."

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the White-William H. Ehlies of Baltimore, Md., and Mabelle C. Slater of Ellicott City, Md.; Frank E. Faibes and Ola E. Ward, both of Charlottesville, Va.; Basil N. Rit-Vaughan and Jennette N. Chandler.
Colored—James H. Wilkins and Nannie
B. Shields; George Thompson and Annie

Requests a Permit. M. G. Weaver has requested permission of the District_Commissioners to lay a board walk on the east side of 14th street between Providence and Lansing streets, Brookland. He has been informed that the Commissioners would prefer a temporary walk of gravel, brick or ashes, as board walks are found by experience to result in dangerous conditions unless they are kept in repair. A permit will be issued for a board walk, however, if it be still desired, on the ground that but a single household will be served thereby.

Petrified tropical fruits have been found

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UNSETTLED TONIGHT AND TUESDAY.

Probably Rain; Warmer Tonight, Fresh to Brisk Southerly Winds. Forecast till 8 p.m. Tuesday.-For the District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, unsettled weather tonight and Tuesday; probably rain; warmer tonight; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Weather conditions and general forecast -There has been a remarkably rapid fall in pressure in the interior of the country during the past twenty-four hours, and conditions are generally unsettled over the northern half of the country east of the

Rocky mountains.

There have been light rains in the lake region, and light local rains and snows in the extreme northwest and central Rocky mountain region. West of the Rocky mountain region. tains rain has practically ceased.

It is decidedly warmer west of the Allegheny mountains, except in the northwest and extreme central west, where it is again 4 degrees to twenty-five degrees colder. The weather will be unsettled tonight and Tuesday in the Ohio valley, the lower lake region and middle Atlantic states, with rain over the greater portion of this area. Local showers are also probable over the northern portion of the east Gulf states and southern portion of the south Atlantic

states.
It will be warmer tonight, followed by colder weather Tuesday afternoon, in the Ohio valley and lower lake region.
On the middle Atlantic coast variable winds will become fresh to brisk southerly; on the south Atlantic coast they will be fresh to brisk easterly; on the east gulf fresh east to south, and on the lower lakes brisk to high southerly, shifting to northwesterly.

Storm warnings are displayed on Lake Michigan at Escanaba and on the lower lakes. Steamers which depart today for European ports will have fresh northerly winds and partly cloudy weather to the Grand Banks.

Records for Twenty-Four Hours. The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning

at 2 p.m. yesterday: Thermometer—November 10, 4 p.m., 50; 8 p.m., 37; 12 midnight, 32. November 11, 4 a.m., 26; 8 a.m., 33; 12 noon, 56: 2 p.m., 61. Maximum, 61, at 2 p.m., November 11; minimum, 26, at 4 a.m., November 11. Barometer—November 10, 4 p.m., 30.45; 8 p.m., 30.48; 12 midnight, 30.50. November 11, 4 a.m., 30.46; 8 a.m., 30.38; noon, 30.23; 2 p.m., 30.13.

Condition of the Water. Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.-Great Falls, temperature, 46; con-46; condition at north connection, 36; condition at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 48; condition at influent gate house, 36; effluent gate house,

Tide Table. Today—Low tide, 2:26 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.; high tide, 8:20 a.m. and 8:27 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 3:02 a.m. and 3:06 p.m.; high tide, 8:58 a.m. and 9:08 p. m. The Sun and Moon.

Today-Sun rises, 6:41 a.m.; sun sets, 4:48 p.m. Moon sets 5:07 p. m.; new moon at 2:34 Tomorrow-Sun rises, 6:42 a m

The City Lights. city lights and naphtha lamps all lighted by thirty minutes after sunset; ex-tinguishing begun one hour before sunrise. All arc and incandescent lamps lighted fif-teen minutes after sunset and extinguished forty-five minutes before sunrise.

MATTER OF WATER RENTS.

Auditor Recommends That Commissioners Adhere to Ruling. Mr. J. T. Petty, auditor for the District of Columbia, has recommended to the Commissioners that they adhere to their ruling which requires the presentation of the receipts in cases where refund is to be made for duplicate water rent payments. The case in question in the present instance is that of B. F. Saul, who asks a refund for duplicate payments for the past two years on premises 1527 7th streets northwest. The water registrar reported to the Commissioners that the records show the water rent paid in duplicate for the years 1899-1900 and 1900-1901. "The writer has deposits duplicate receipts for the year 1900-1901, upon which a refund may be made," says the registrar, "but the receipts for 1899-1900 being lost it is doubtful if the department has authority to refund for that year." The papers were referred to the auditor for an opinion and he has reported

as follows:
"The opinion of the water registrar is in harmony with the order of the Commis-sioners, which requires the production of a duplicate receipt as the basis of a refund. The reasonableness of this requirement is apparent when it is remembered that water rent bills are not made in the name of an individual, but according to the number to any one who produces duplicate receipts for a given year. As from this statement it is clear that the government is without protection unless the duplicate receipt is surrendered, I have the honor, in the pres-ent instance, to recommend adherence to the rule making this surrender essential to a voucher for refund."

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